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ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mrs. James H. Rogers is the guest of relatives at Chicago.

Mr. William Hunter of Murphysville was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Talbot of Harrison county is visiting Mrs. Egnau of East Second street.

Miss Emma Bendum has returned from a pleasant visit to relatives at Newport.

Mr. Bruce Austin has returned to Washington, D.C., after a visit to relatives here.

Miss Mary McDonald of Avondale, Cincinnati, is the guest of Miss Florence Wadsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bodner of Ripley spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. George Schwartz.

Mrs. Anderson Finch and daughter Miss May are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Archibald Church of Chicago.

Miss Katie Yager, who has been the guest of Miss Anna Orr for a few days, went to Ripley this morning for a short visit before returning to her home at Covington.

Can and Bulk Oysters. Celery and Crackers at O'Keefe's.

The weather report received here this morning by Captain C. M. Phister says snow is falling at Helena, Montana,—the first of the season.

There was a splendid audience last night at the joint debate by Messrs. L. W. Galbraith and Thomas A. Davis at Bullock Schoolhouse.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna E. Daulton will take place from her late residence in the Sixth Ward at 2 o'clock this afternoon, with services by Elder Harding of Bellevue.

The McKinley Club of Manchester, West Union and Island Creek, O., will assemble at the latter place Saturday night and will be addressed by Mr. Thomas A. Davis of this city.

The Executive Committee of the Ninth District will meet at the Central Hotel Tuesday at 11 a.m. to select an Elector in the place of Robert B. Buckler, resigned.

Fire at Orangeburg last midnight destroyed the residence of "Uncle" Ben Alexander, a worthy old colored citizen. It was caused by a defective flue. Loss \$500 and no insurance.

The Republicans of Plowtown Precinct No. 7 last night organized a McKinley Sound Money Club. The following officers were chosen:

President—Jacob Wormald.
Vice-President—J. G. Wadsworth.
Secretary—C. F. Ziegert.

Forty names were enrolled as members, a good time was had and more names will be added to the list.

Mr. Henry Luman, who resides near Tollesboro, met with an accident last week that will lay him up for some time. He was on his way home with a heavily-loaded wagon, when in some manner the wagon turned over, falling upon him partly, breaking one of his legs and severely bruising him otherwise. He was carried four miles before medical assistance could be rendered. Mr. Luman is now getting along as well as could be expected.

SATURDAY NIGHT'S MEETING.

Turn Out and Hear Hon. Jno. F. McCarty at the Courthouse.

Hon. John P. McCartney will speak at the Courthouse Saturday night.

The McKinley and Pugh Clubs of the city will form in procession and after a short march will file into the Courthouse.

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FINE MUSIC

To be Rendered by the Maysville Band Sunday Afternoon.

The following program has been arranged by the Maysville Band for the concert to be given at Dieterich's Park Sunday afternoon at 2:30:

Thunder March.....
American.....
Persian Shah Patrol.....
Die Italienne Alteig.....
Our Animal from Romeo's Stable.....
Music.....
Medley Overture.....
Le Polonoise Serenade.....
March selected.....

Admission at the gate 10 cents.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect for the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

WHILE IT'S RAINING—THERE'S
BLUE—RAIN OR SNOW;

With Black ABOVE—TWILL WARMER
GROW.

If Black's BEHIND—COLDEN' WILL
GO.

Unless Black's shown—no change
we'll see.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Mrs. L. V. Davis is now ready to show a nice line of early Fall Millinery.

For full particulars of the sensational Dayton murder get The Cincinnati Post. JAMES N. LYNN Agent.

There will be a called meeting of all the members of the Disciples Young Ladies' Missionary Society this afternoon at 3:30, with Mrs. L. M. Miller of East Third street.

Saturday, December 5th, has been decided upon as the day for holding the Democratic primary to nominate candidates for the various county offices in Fleming county.

Preparations are being made for Hon. Sam J. Pugh and Colonel LaRue Thomas, opposing candidates for Congressional honorees in this District, to meet in joint discussion at Central Park, Ashland, on the 17th, when the Mutual Protective Society composed of farmers mostly, is to have a monster picnic. Between two and three thousand farmers are expected to be present.

Davies county is the banner tobacco county in this state. Her product for 1895 is reported at 13,575,120 pounds. Graves county is a good second with 12,160,000 pounds and Henderson comes third with 11,981,350 pounds. Hopkins county shows up with 9,183,000 pounds with Webster close up with 8,285,966. Logan county reports 7,642,300 and several counties are credited with over 6,000,000 pounds. The total yield of the state for 1895 was 229,972,482 pounds. Kentucky is a great tobacco state.

Sent It to His Mother in Germany.

Mr. Jacob Esbensen, who is in the employ of the Chicago Lumber Co. at Des Moines, Iowa, says: "I have just sent some medicine back to my mother in the old country, that I know from personal use to be the best medicine in the world for rheumatism, having used it in my family for several years. It is called Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It always does the work." 50 cent bottles for sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

CLERGY MEET.

Methodists of Kentucky in Session at Vanceburg.

The annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Kentucky met at Vanceburg yesterday morning at the Methodist Church.

Bishop John F. Hurst of Washington, D.C., arrived Monday night and presided.

Eighty-six ministers are already in attendance.

Monday night a reception was tendered to the Ministers.

Hon. Samuel J. Pugh delivered the welcoming address, to which response was made by Rev. Thomas Hanford, D.D., of Covington.

COULDN'T DO IT AGAIN.

Two Games in Succession in the Limit for Maysville.

Newton is an unfortunate lad. He goes in, pitches first-class ball, ball that should be a regular shut-out game, and when the dust is wiped off the trolley board it shows that his game, so hard fought for, has been lost.

Time and again this season has he had teams shut out up to the later part of the game, but some one on the team would go in a trance, allow a ball to get away from him, and thus lose either a shut-out or the game.

Yesterday's game at Knoxville proves this.

Newton pitched good ball, but his support was so decayed that the whole team was threatened with the Board of Health.

The consequence was the score after they had quit stod—

If the team will give Newton the support he deserves there'll never be a defeat to tally up to the Maysville Club, as he is the pitcher of the Southpaws that has held his own this season against a League team.

Admission at the gate 10 cents.

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"I believe that it is a good deal better to open up the Mints of the United States to the Labor of America than to open up the Mints of the United States to the silver of the world."—WILLIAM McKNLEY.

ERWIN FARRÉ.

WINDY JENNY from the Plateau.
Tommy Watson from the South,
Bryan tooting through his batte.
Watson toiling with his mouth.

SELLING SIGNING CHECKS IN MAINE
Adding thousands to the fate,
Goldie! who of all the steel
Can tell the Pipe where they are at!

Any system that maintains the price of labor in this country, that brings hope into the life of the laboring man, that enables him to put by, that gives him a stake in good order in the property of the country, is the policy that should be our American policy.—BENJAMIN HARRISON.

THE WINDY JENNY BRYAN is booked for twenty speeches in Kentucky—one for every thousand votes that will compose the majority against him in November.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN, the Populist nominee for president, has agreed to speak in Maysville Tuesday evening, September 15th. Will some one kindly ask him, when he gets through speaking, if he has heard from Maine?

AND SO BILLIE BRYAN is coming to Maysville. Beware, BILLIE; the only Presidential candidate who ever visited this city was beaten—oh, so pale! We old 'uns remember the visit of General WINFIELD SCOTT in 1852, when bonfires on the "upper grade" made it light enough to pick up a pin in Aberdeen. The General made a speech from the steps of the Lee House; but it wasn't in it with the speech that the people made at the polls a few months later. Again, beware, BILLIE.

THE NEW YORK Sun's advice to Democrats is to keep the main chance steadily in mind. A vote for McKNLEY is worth two votes for PALMER as an instrument for the defeat of BRYAN. First let us save the Republic and fortify its institutions by as tremendous a majority against repudiation and revolution as patriotism can insure. Admire the spirit displayed at Indianapolis, take off your hats to JOHN MCATULEY PALMER and SIMON BOLIVAR BUCKNER, cheer them to the top of your voice, not only as fine old types of Northern and Southern Democracy, but also as the advance guard of a Democratic column starting out for further victories, and then go to the polls and clear the way for the new Democracy by firing directly at BRYAN a ballot for WILLIAM McKNLEY!

Ex-Lieutenant-Governor M. C. Alford of Lexington, who has been President of the State League of Democratic Clubs for eight years, will not be a candidate for re-election at the coming meeting on the 10th. He is a sound money man and will have to make way for a silverite.

BRYAN AND THE ANGEL.

New York Sun.

Abou Bill Bryan, may his tribe decrease!

Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace,

And saw within the moonlight in his room,

Making it rich and silverlike in bloom,
An angel writing in a book of gold.

Exceeding gall had made Bill Bryan bold,

And to the presence in the room he said:

"What wretched thou?" The vision raised its head,

And with a look of what he might expect,

Answered: "Their names will get it in the neck."

"And am I one?" asked Abou. "I don't know,"

Replied the angel. Abou spake more low,

But cheerily still, and said: "I pray thee, sir,

Write me as one not liable to err."

The angel wrote and vanished. The next night

It came again with a great November light,

And showed the names of those knocked galley-west;

And lo! Bill Bryan's name led all the rest.

HOW IT WILL WORK.

TWO FARMERS DISPOSE OF THE FREE SILVER FALLACY.

Courier-Journal.

TWO Caldwell county farmers sat under a tree waiting for a blacksmith to finish shoeing a horse which belonged to one of them. One was a silverite and the other had never been heard to declare himself, being a man who tenaciously holds to his hand-made opinions, but who does not put them on the market in competition with the manufactured product.

The silver man asked him what he thought of the financial question. "I don't want to get into any argument," replied the home-made philosopher.

The silver man insisted and promised that he would not say a word if his friend would only give expression to his views. The latter glanced uneasily around and said: "Do you see that shop? The free silver law has been passed and that's a Mint.

See that hill over there? That's my hill. There's a silver mine in it and I'm working on it. This morning I've filled my saddle bags with slugs of the pure stuff, each with exactly the same amount of silver as a dollar, and have come to the Mint to get it coined. That's your wagon over there. You're come to town to sell your wheat. I say: 'What's in your wagon?' You say: 'wheat.' I take out one of my silver slugs and say, 'I'll give you this for a bushel of wheat. That's your pure silver and just as much as in a dollar.' You say, 'I don't know whether that's silver or not, and if I had it I couldn't trade it for anything. I've got no silver mine and people wouldn't believe me when I say it's silver.' I say, 'I need the wheat and would like to trade with you,' but you say 'no,' and stick to it. I step in the Mint-house and hand my slug to the Mint man. He puts it in his punching machine and turns out a big, bright, new silver dollar with the eagle and 'E pluribus unum,' 'In God we trust,' and so on it. I get it back—the same silver I put in, without having put alick of labor, a moment of anxiety or a cent of money on it. I hold it in my hand and say, 'Give you this for two bushels of wheat.' You say, 'I'll take it.' You measure it up, turn it over to me, I hand you the silver and you say, 'I am much obliged to you.' I offered you the silver for one bushel, but you wouldn't touch it. Without my doing anything to add another cent to its value you give me two bushels profusely illustrated.

for the same piece of silver and add your thanks. I think that's what free silver would do for the farmer."

And the free silver man violated his agreement not to say anything by exclaiming: "I'll be danged if it doesn't look that way."

Fiat Weather.

Washington Star.

The sidewalk debater had gathered a very considerable crowd, and had brought all his powers of eloquence to bear on the financial question. He was a man of extreme ideas, and Farmer Cornstooth wiped the perspiration from his brow, cleared his throat and said:

"Mister, would yer mind kinder sayin' somethin' right slow, so's my intellect kin grab hold, so ter speak?"

"On what point?"

"Do I understand you ter say that the Guv'ment kin by merely puttin' its stamp onter any ole thing at all, make money on it?"

"Yes."

"An' that'll give it value?"

"Certainly."

"Wal, then, it's a darn shame, an' I'm goin' right over to Secetary Morton an' enter protest. Ef the Guv'ment kin price up silver by jut writin' on a piece o' paper, they ain't no reason under the sun, ef I kin see, why it shouldn't perdue cold weather by hangin' out the blizzard flag. The principle is exactly the same, an' the fact that it ain't been done is only another reminder of the recklessness this country wastes its opportunities."

Cop.

Just received, a fresh-mined barge of the celebrated Raymond Coal, the best Semi-cannel Coal ever sold in this market. It is metticed by the fact that others have tried to handle it but could not buy it, and another coal is sold by a similar name, but it cannot be counterfeited and is sold only by J. H. DODSON.

Healthy, happy children make better men and women of us all. A little care and a little planning for birth is often more important than anything else that can be done for the mother's health and strength depend the life and the future of the children. A woman's sickly condition can bear strong winds and heavy rains.

Men, too, are important. Men of the world are terribly necessary. Proper care and proper medicine will cure almost any disease of the feminine organism. Dr. PIERCE'S Patent Medicine is the best and most effective medicine for all diseases.

The Wilson-Gorman tariff schedules the Wilson-Gorman tariff on the sort of coal mined in this state from 75 cents to 40 cents a ton, says the Peoria Journal.

This was reduced it just enough to admit the coal mined in the 13 and 15 foot beds of Colorado, is playing this free coinage game for all it's worth, let him spend a week in Denver and he will be convinced.

THE FREE COINAGE GAME.

How Colorado Is Playing It for All It's Worth.

The Silver Mine Owners Are Exhibiting Most Interest in This Campaign Than Ever Before. The Lead

so far.

The western silver mine owners are exhibiting more interest in this campaign than was ever before manifested than in the history of the country. It is easy to understand why the silver mine owner spends his money and devotes his time to the free-silver cause. It is considered now by those who are informed in the silver-mining industry that unless the miners of Colorado were to turn to silver mining by a free-silver victory in this campaign the annual output of silver in these western mines would reach 100,000,000 ounces per annum. Taking five cents as the average cost of production per ounce, these mine owners would have to cost the mine owners \$5,000,000 annually to produce it. Under a free-coining law they claim it will be worth \$129 cents per ounce. At least, they would be able to have it coined into dollars at that rate. Now, if these western silver mine owners would be able to coin their silver at \$129,000,000, their net profit would be \$124,000,000.

The miners of New Jersey, but 40 percent of them are idle and New Jersey doesn't buy bullion, so they used to buy

about 100 laboring men in New York are out of a job and they are not eating and living high-to-day as they were when Benjamin Harrison was president.

No one knows better than a New York New Jersey woman how to prepare a meal for a hungry man, but how can a woman prepare a meal, unless the material is provided, and how can the kitchen of the house be supplied unless the man of the house is employed, drawing regular wages so that the grocer is sure of the payment of his monthly bills?

History record this great democratic panic but no historian will ever be able to tell all the sorrow and heartache that these good wives have endured during these years, because the wants of their families have not been supplied.

The fields of the west have yielded an abundant supply of food, but the children in these eastern cities are hungry because father had no work and no money to buy food. See the stewardship of the silver king.

Heads of the silver mining districts of Colorado stood on the same platform with the silver candidate from Nebraska, and told the people of northern New York that what the country needed was a greater per capita circulation of silver.

The miners of Colorado are not afraid

of the silver king, while he is a free-silver politician.

Every day the state of Kansas, unconsciously, perhaps, has been the scene of his successful operation as a maker of free silver sentiment. Nebraska has been also a convenient and fruitful field for silver mining, and Colorado is the next state of Colorado. There is not a week or month in a year that the east-bound mail trains going out from Denver have not carried to the farmers of these agricultural states immense quantities of silver. Farmers of Colorado not only support a most powerful and proficient literary bureau, employing scores of college professors and other free coinage writers, but they have also maintained a corps of bold and magnetic speakers, whose mission is to spread the gospel of silver throughout the entire community in the land. Suppose it costs these mine owners a half million a year to support this stupendous educational system which they employ, what is the expenditure of \$500,000 when the net profits are estimated at \$75,000,000? They would be able to willingly expense \$50 per annum for several years in the establishment of some industry upon his farm, which, when established would net him a profit of \$75,000 per annum?

"What you want," said he, "is to coin silver into dollars."

But the idle workingmen who heard him could not help thinking that what they wanted was a chance to coin that muscle into a dollar.

These miners of Colorado will be a great source of wealth to the country.

They are looking with great

curiosity at the boy candidate for president and at the venerable whitebearded silver king from Nevada, could not help thinking all the time that what they needed was a greater per capita circulation of silver.

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Wm. J. Bryan's Letter to the
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The Candidate Says He Stands
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He Favours the Arbitration of Labor
Tribunals—Condemns Trusts—Disap-
proves the Issuance of Bonds—Op-
poses Capital Punishment, Etc.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 10.—Mr. Bryan
Wednesday made public his letter accept-
ing the democratic nomination.

Mr. Bryan says:

Men Stephen M. White and Other Members

of the National Committee of the Demo-
cratic National Convention—Sentiment—I accept

the nomination handed to me by the

Democratic party, and I do so

desire to assure you that I fully ap-

prove the high honor of such a num-
erous and wise representation which ac-

company an election to the presidency of the

United States.

So far as I am impressed with the mag-
nitude of the power vested by the constitution
in the chief executive of the nation, I can
see no limit to the reach which he can wield for
the benefit or injury of the people that I wish
to enter the office of president.

It is my desire to express the desire to prove

worthy of the confidence of my countrymen,

Burns, and the world, that I have been ap-

pointed by strict conservatives, and, in order

that I may not be tempted to use the powers
of an office to advance any personal in-
terest, I will make no statement of the emphatic

words which can express my fixed determina-

tion now under all circumstances, to es-
cuse me from reiteration in case this cam-

paign results in my election.

I have accepted the platform

adopted by the democratic national con-

vention, and unequivocally endorse every plank

therein.

Our institutions rest upon the proposition

that all men, being created equal, are entitled

to equal rights and opportunities.

Because all men are created equal, it follows

that the government which protects men

is bound to protect all citizens in

the enjoyment of life, liberty and the pursuit

of happiness.

This purpose must lead the government,

first, to avoid acts of affirmative injustice,

and, secondly, to prevent acts of

trespassing upon the rights of an; other;

otherwise.

A democratic form of government is con-

ducive to the highest civilization, because it

opens before each individual the greatest op-

portunities for the development of the

highest endeavor by bestowing to each

the full enjoyment of all the rewards of toil,

except those which are reserved to support

the government which protects him.

Democracy is indifferent to prejudices—it deals

with all individuals rather than with its ad-

ectors.

Democracy ignores difference in wealth

or in social position, in behalf of or against an citizen. It merely

knows no creed—recognizing the right of each

individual to his own conscience, it welcomes

all to a common brotherhood and guarantees

equal protection of law, and, in a church or through what forms they commune

with their creeds.

Democracy ignores portions of the platform

at the time of its adoption, and again when

our bitter of notification was found in

the platform, at this time it has a direct

touch upon all the subjects embodied in the

party's declaration.

The platform of the party has ever ex-

plained or will wish to the most effective

means of securing domestic peace, but

no other party has ever undertaken under all circumstances the absolute necessity

for the prompt and vigorous enforcement

of law, and the maintenance of public

peace. In a government like ours, law is but

the crystallization of the will of the people

without which there is no security in the

enjoyment of life and liberty nor protected in the enjoyment of its policies.

With the exception of the law government is im-

possible. The democratic party is pledged to

defend the constitution and the laws, and

the party which is also pledged to

protect and defend the dual scheme of

government instituted by the founders of the

United States, was made public

in the platform of the party chosen.

It combines the idea of national

strength with the idea of local self-gov-

ernment, an industrial union of

indissoluble states.

Mr. Bryan favors the rule and

influence of public money. In de-

termining what appropriations are necessary

the interest of those who pay taxes

should be considered with those who

receive or disburse public money.

An increase in the amount of the United

States debt is entwined without excuse

the law few years past.

The fact that the dealers in money

are the ones who profit by the

growth of the currency. United States green-

banks he considers the best. They are safer

and cheaper for the people than national bank

notes.

Our foreign policy should be both dignified

and firm. This he considers the best guaran-

tee of our safety.

The United States should resist any exten-

sion of European authority in the western

hemisphere.

No nation can afford to be unkind to its de-

fenders. The care of those who are in

the service of the country is the duty of the

country is a sacred duty. A sailor, which

the United States, raises upon your ser-

vice, and a soldier, which

adds to its own security when it makes gen-

eral provision for those who have risked their

lives in the service of their country, is a sacred

duty.

The interest of the working class should

be the interest of the country.

The working class should be the

creators of wealth. Mr. Bryan is in favor

of arbitration of labor troubles.

Society has a right to demand that the

right of arbitration be secured by law.

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Royal Baking Powder

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Mayfield Gas Company will be held at the Mayfield Hotel, on Saturday morning, May 19, at 10 o'clock a.m., to elect a President and three Directors of said company.

GEORGE L. COX,
President,
A. M. J. COOCHMAN,
Directors.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS L. BEST as a candidate for Sheriff at the November election, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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